## **HOUSE BILL No. 1546**

## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 5-10.2-5-44.

**Synopsis:** PERF cost of living adjustment. Provides for a cost of living adjustment payable after December 31, 2009, for members (or the survivors or beneficiaries of members) of the public employees' retirement fund (PERF).

Effective: July 1, 2009.

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January 16, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Labor and Employment.



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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning pensions.

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Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

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1	SECTION 1. IC 5-10.2-5-44 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2	AS A <b>NEW</b> SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
3	1, 2009]: Sec. 44. (a) The pension portion (plus postretirement
4	increases to the pension portion) provided by employer
5	contributions of the monthly benefit payable after December 31
6	2009, to a member of the public employees' retirement fund (or to
7	a survivor or beneficiary of a member) who retired or was disabled
8	before January 1, 2009, shall be increased by one and one-hal
9	percent (1.5%).

- (b) The increase specified in subsection (a):
  - (1) is based on the date of the member's latest retirement or disability;
- (2) does not apply to benefits payable in a lump sum; and
- 14 (3) is in addition to any other increase provided by law.



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